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## RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE

## Dear Examiner:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Final Office Action mailed November 29, 2006, for the above-noted patent application. Expedited examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 is requested.

Applicants respectfully request that the Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO"):

- 1. Please enter the amendments to the claims in section I, beginning on page 2.
- 2. Please consider the amendments to the claims in section I in view of the remarks in section II, beginning on page 8.

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